

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT)
APPLICATION OF VERIZON DELAWARE)
LLC, (F/K/A VERIZON DELAWARE INC.))
AND GC PIVOTAL, LLC D/B/A GLOBAL)
CAPACITY FOR APPROVAL OF AN) PSC DOCKET NO. 99-84
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT) PSC DOCKET NO. 18-1043
PURSUANT TO SECTION 252(e) OF THE)
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996)
(AGREEMENT FILED MARCH 1, 1999 AND)
AMENDMENT 5 FILED AUGUST 20, 2018))
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**NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF AN INTERCONNECTION
AGREEMENT UNDER THE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on August 20, 2018, Verizon Delaware LLC, f/k/a Verizon Delaware Inc. (“Verizon”), and GC Pivotal, LLC b/b/a Global Capacity (“GC Pivotal” and collectively with Verizon, the “Applicants”) filed a joint application requesting the Public Service Commission (“Commission”) to approve a negotiated Amendment No. 5 (“Amendment”) to the Applicants’ Interconnection Agreement (“Agreement”).

The pertinent provisions of the Amendment include:

- Updating the agreement to ensure that it is consistent with certain Federal Communications Commission and Federal Court decisions regarding the scope of Verizon’s obligation to provide unbundled network elements and other services under 47 U.S.C. § 251 and 47 C.F.R. Part 51.
- Providing a process for handling discontinued facilities that Verizon is no longer required to make available pursuant to the above federal decisions.
- Clarifying that GC Pivotal may enter into a separate, private arrangement to replace discontinued facilities.
- Clarifying that certain facilities are not available on an unbundled basis.
- Describing when and how commingling and combining of unbundled network elements with other services is permitted.
- Providing for routine network modifications consistent with federal law.

Any person who wishes to protest or to comment upon this application must do so in a written document filed with the Commission and served upon the Applicants on or before September 27, 2018. Comments should focus on the criteria for review set forth in 47 U.S.C. § 252(e)(2)(A) and whether the Amendment is consistent with applicable state law, regulation, or

policy. In the absence of any good faith protest, the Commission will allow the Agreement to become effective on November 18, 2018.

The Commission's mailing address for the filing of any protests or comments is:

Delaware Public Service Commission
861 Silver Lake Boulevard
Cannon Building, Suite 100
Dover, Delaware 19904
Attention: PSC Docket No. 99-84 and 18-1043

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Copies of the application are available for public inspection at the Commission's Dover office at the address given above during the regular business hours of the Commission.

You are invited to review the Applicants' filed application and supporting documents to determine how your interest may be affected. You may review documents posted on the Commission's website at <http://depssc.delaware.gov/>. If you would like to review documents at the Commission's offices, please contact Kevin Neilson at kevin.neilson@state.de.us to arrange a time for your review. You may also review copies of the Applicants' filed application and supporting documents at the office of the Division of the Public Advocate located at the Carvel State Office Building, 4th Floor, 820 North French Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801. Please call (302) 577-5077 to arrange for a time to review the documents at that location.

If you wish to request copies of documents in this matter, you must submit a written request to the Commission either by mail, fax, hand-delivery, or filling in the online FOIA request form located at the Delaware Department of State's website: https://delaware.gov/help/foia_request.shtml?subj=DOS

Any individual with a disability who wishes to participate in this matter or to review the Applicants' filed application or supporting documents should contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such review or participation. Such contact may be in person, by writing, or telephonically (including the use of the Telecommunications Relay Service). The Commission's toll-free telephone number (within Delaware) is 800-282-8574. Persons with any disability who have questions may also contact the Commission by either text-telephone ("TT") or regular telephone at 302-736-7500.